STATE OF MINNESOTA OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS FOR THE COMMISSIONER OF ADMINISTRATION

In the Matter of the Appeal of the Determination of the Responsible Authority for the Minnesota Department of Human Services that certain data concerning Wayne Nicolaison are accurate and/or complete.

PROTECTIVE ORDER

Upon the request of the Department of Human Services and without objection by Mr. Nicolaison and pursuant to Minn. Stat. Ch. 13 (2000), IT IS ORDERED THAT:

Not public data disclosed by the parties in the course of this matter may only be examined by the parties, counsel of record, employees assisting counsel, representatives and witnesses of the parties, to the extent necessary to prepare and present claims and defenses.

The parties, their counsel, any representatives or witnesses must not disclose any data encompassed by this Order contained in this file to persons other than those mentioned above.

The data encompassed by this Order contained in this file may be used only in this proceeding and not for any other purpose including collateral litigation without prior order of a district court or as otherwise provided by law.

The hearing in this matter may only be open to the parties, their witnesses, and others with a direct interest in the outcome, and any transcript of the proceedings is private data except as otherwise provided by law.

Dated this	21 st	_ day of	March	2003.
				GEORGE A. BECK
				Administrative Law Judge